

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 3564 - SB 3565

February 1, 2010

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires trial judge to adjudge costs in favor of the prevailing party in all civil cases.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

Assumption:

- Currently the presiding judge is authorized to apportion the cost between the litigants. Requiring the judge to adjudge costs in favor of the prevailing party will not have a fiscal impact on the judicial system.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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